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## PUBLIC NOTICE

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This notice is to inform the public that the S. C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (Agency) is taking public comments on a Corrective Action Plan (CAP). This CAP addresses the cleanup of soil and groundwater petroleum contamination at the facility listed below. The contamination was caused by petroleum products that were released from the underground storage tank systems at this facility. Based on current data, the petroleum release does not pose a threat to human health or the environment and the case will be closed. This proposed conditional closure is specifically for petroleum and petroleum products from the Aboveground Storage Tanks at the referenced facility.

**FACILITY:** Fords Fuel Service, 1519 Old 17 North, North Myrtle Beach, SC

**APPLICANT:** Mr. Frankie Ford Senior, 4115 Holly Street, Loris, SC 29569

**SUMMARY OF CAP:** Petroleum and petroleum byproducts naturally break down over time through chemical, physical, and biological processes. These processes are called natural attenuation. Based on nine groundwater-sampling events conducted since November 2000, the levels of petroleum remain below levels of concern. Therefore, the case associated with the petroleum chemicals will be closed.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD DEADLINE:** The deadline for submitting written comments is **5 PM April 15, 2014**. Any interested person(s) may submit written comments concerning the cleanup to the Project Manager listed below. Please bring this notice to the attention of persons whom you know will be interested in this matter. Where there is a sufficient degree of public interest, the Agency will hold a public hearing.

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**CONTACT INFORMATION:** For additional information, please call the Project Manager listed above. To view a copy of the CAP, contact the Freedom of Information Office at 803-898-3882.